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Title: AUTOMATIC LASER
POWER CONTROL IN AN
OPTICAL
COMMUNICATION
SYSTEM

§ Examiner: Dzung D. Tran
§ Group/Art Unit: 2633
§ Atty. Dkt. No: 5957-16201
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June 2, 2005

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136 FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed December 2, 2004, such extension allowing the undersigned until June 2, 2005, to respond.

A Fee Authorization is enclosed to cover this extension fee. However, if the Fee Authorization is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5957-16201/RDR.

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Respectfully submitted,

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FEE AUTHORIZATION

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fee to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5957-16201/RDR:

Fee: Three-month Extension of Time
Amount: \$1,020.00
Attorney Docket No.: 5957-16201

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any other fees which may be necessary to the same account number.

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